

payment, payment and collection of delinquent assessments, interest, penalty and costs, including sale for non-payment, applicable to the making of street improvements in such town shall apply to the making of improvements under this Act except where inconsistent herewith.

SEC. 8. *And be it further enacted*, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1939.

Approved May 11, 1939.

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## CHAPTER 540.

(House Bill 648)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 991 of Article 16 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland (1930 Edition), title "Montgomery County", sub-title "Washington Suburban Sanitary District", and Section 1015 of Article 17 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland (1930 Edition), title "Prince George's County", sub-title "Washington Suburban Sanitary District", as amended by Chapter 45 of the Laws of Maryland of 1937, so as to authorize the said Commission to formulate and adopt a pension or retirement plan for its employees; to repeal and re-enact with amendments Section 992 of said Article 16, being Section 1016 of said Article 17, to authorize the Commission to deposit a sum of money in Court at any time after condemnation proceeding has been begun and to take possession of the property sought to be condemned and to sell any of its real estate not necessary for the operation of its system and to ratify sales heretofore made; to repeal and re-enact with amendments Section 994 of said Article 16, being Section 1018 of said Article 17, to authorize the Commission, at its option, to issue serial bonds in addition to its present authority to issue sinking fund bonds; to repeal and to re-enact with amendments Section 995 of Article 16, being Section 1019 of Article 17, to authorize the Commission to issue temporary notes, not exceeding \$200,000; and to repeal and re-enact with amendments Section 1002 of said Article 16, being Section 1026 of said Article 17, providing for the method of payment and apportionment of funds between the serial and sinking fund bonds.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That Sections 991, 992, 994, 995 and 1002 of Article 16,